

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

JAMAL HOUSTON BROWN,

Petitioner,

v.

MERRICK GARLAND, *et al.*,

Respondents.

Case No. C23-319-JNW-SKV

ORDER GRANTING PETITIONER'S
MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

This is a federal habeas action filed under 28 U.S.C. § 2241. This matter comes before the Court on Petitioner's motion for an extension of time to respond to the government's return and motion to dismiss. Dkt. 11. Petitioner requests in his motion that the due date for his response be extended from May 8, 2023, to May 22, 2023, as a travel document is expected to be issued shortly for Petitioner's deportation to the United Kingdom. *Id.* at 1. Petitioner's counsel explains that, assuming Petitioner is deported as expected, his petition will become moot. *Id.* at 2. Petitioner's counsel represents to the Court that he has conferred with counsel for the government, and that the government's attorney does not oppose the requested extension. *Id.* at 1-2.

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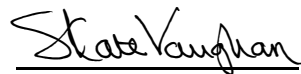
1 The Court deems Petitioner's request reasonable. Accordingly, the Court hereby
2 ORDERS as follows:

3 (1) Petitioner's motion for extension of time (Dkt. 11) is GRANTED. Petitioner is
4 directed to file any response to the government's return and motion to dismiss not later than **May**
5 **22, 2023**.

6 (2) The government's motion to dismiss (Dkt. 7) is RE-NOTED on the Court's
7 calendar for consideration on **May 26, 2023**. The government shall file any reply brief in support
8 of its motion by that date.

9 (3) The Clerk is directed to send copies of this Order to all counsel of record and to
10 the Honorable Jamal N. Whitehead.

11 DATED this 10th day of May, 2023.

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14 S. KATE VAUGHAN
15 United States Magistrate Judge
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